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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following documents:

1. Notice of Appeal and Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time (2 pages);
2. Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review Form PTO/SB/33 (1 page);
3. Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review (5 pages);
4. Communication to Clarify Previously Submitted Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages), including Form PTO/SB/08b (1 page);
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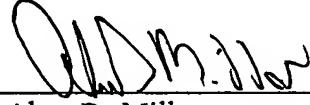
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